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Business entrusted to him shall be promptly and faithfull attended to.
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PRINTED TO ORDER, AT THE
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SUGAR, COFFEE, &c.
11 HHDS. P. R. Sugar
10 bags Rio Coffee;
35 " Laguyra do;
12 bbls old Rye Whiskey;
25 " Rectified do;
15 boxes Mould Candles;
10 kegs (extra) Butter.
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(*Late of the firm of* NEFF & WARNER,)
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER IN
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OF THE TOWN OF WILMINGTON.
*During the years* 1774, 1775 *and* 1776,
WITH the joint Proceedings of the Committees of the Counties of Duplin, Onslow, Bladen, Brunswick and Cumberland, for sale at the *Commercial Office.* Price 25 cents per copy. A large discount made for large numbers.

JUST RECEIVED
A Very handsome assortment of Ladies fine Buskin; Ladies fine kid, low heel do; Ladies do. do. slippers and ties; do. do. white slippers, for sale by GEO. R. FRENCH.
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KRIDER & MALLETT,
GROCERS
AND
Commission Merchants,
No 27 Old Slip, Corner of Front st. (up stairs)
Particular attention paid to the sale of produce, and liberal advances made on consignments.
NEW YORK.
W. H. KRIDER. P. MALLETT.
REFERENCES.
Rokenbaugh, Conner & Dater,
Isaac Sly, Robison & Halstead,
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NOTICE.
THE subscriber having sold his entire stock in trade to Mr. J. J. Conoley, would take pleasure in recommending him to the favorable notice of his friends and former customers.
GUY C. HOTCHKISS.
Wilmington, Jan. 8, 1848.

SADDLE, HARNESS, AND TRUNK
MANUFACTORY.
Market Street, Wilmington, N. C.
THE subscriber would respectfully inform his friends, and the public generally, that he is (besides the above purchase) receiving additions to his stock; and from the favorable circumstances in which he is enabled to present himself before the public, and from his experience in the above business, he feels assured of his ability to give entire satisfaction to all who may favor him with their patronage. He has taken the store lately occupied by Guy C. Hotchkiss, where he will at all times keep a complete assortment of *SADDLES, BRIDLES, MARTINGALES, COLLARS, WHIPS, BITTS AND SPURS; CARPET AND SADDLE BAGS; TRUNKS, VALISES, &c., &c.*, all of which he will warrant to be of good manufacture and material. And every article connected with the trade will be sold low for cash, or on *short credit* to prompt customers.
JOHN J. CONOLEY.
☞ REPAIRING of all kinds done at the shortest notice, together with trimming Carriages and making Clinchands, &c. &c.
Jan. 7, 1848. 124-1y. J. J. C.

NOTICE.
THE undersigned, having disposed of his business as above, would respectfully give notice, that if all persons indebted to him by note or account, will call at the store of Mr. J. J. Conoley, and settle the same without delay, they will much oblige him; if not, he must *oblige them.*
GUY C. HOTCHKISS.
Jan. 8th 1848. 126-3m.

BUTTER AND CHEESE.
40 KEGS, containing from 20 to 100 lbs. each, Goshen Butter;
25 boxes do. Cheese; for sale by
D. W. WOOD.
Feb. 3, 1848.

FLOUR.
20 BBLS. Fayetteville Cross and Fine Flour;
30 do and half Bbls superfine do.
50 Bushels Oats, Just received and for sale by
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CAMPHINE selling at forty cents per gallon by
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25 BBLS., boxes, and bags Buck Wheat; received per brig Belle and for sale by
D. W. WOOD.
Feb. 8, 1848.

WHISKEY AND MOLASSES
50 BBLS. N. O. Whiskey
50 do do Molasses, daily expected and for sale by
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THIS is to inform the citizens of Wilmington that I have purchased the Camphine Distillery of Mr. Thos. Smith, and hope to merit that patronage he so liberally received from the community. To favor this end and secure an equal excellence in the Camphine, I have employed his old and efficient Distiller; and Mr. Smith has kindly tendered his advice and supervision for several months.
The concern will be conducted precisely on the same plan as formerly.
C. DePRE.
Wilmington, Feb. 5. 138

Commercial Bank Checks.
PRINTED and for sale at the *Commercial Office* Blank Checks, bound in Books or in quires, of a very elegant impression, on the *Commercial Bank of Wilmington.*
Aug. 17.

MARTIN LEWIS & Co's
*CLOTH STORE,*
The Only Store of the Kind in Baltimore
FOR THE
EXCLUSIVE SALE OF GENTLEMEN'S WEAR.
*No. 233 Baltimore Street, second store West of Charles street.*
WE shall remove in time for the Spring Business from our present Store, *No. 214 Baltimore st., East of Charles st.*, to our New and Commodious Warehouse, now building, *No. 233 Baltimore street, on the same side of the street, but Two doors above Charles street*, where we shall be happy to see our friends and customers.
The experience of last fall, when first we took up this Branch of the Dry Goods Business exclusively, convinced us beyond a doubt, that a business like ours would meet with the same encouragement here, as similar establishments for many years past had enjoyed in the Northern Markets; and that Country Dealers, by a simple trial, would see the actual necessity to divide their purchases, and, in no instance, to buy their Wooden Goods where they bought their Domestic, Dress, or Fancy Goods. We have, therefore, made such arrangements for the coming Spring Trade, that we confidently invite the attention of all Dealers visiting our Market to our Establishment, assuring them, that in the extent of our Stock, Quality of Prices, we shall be second to no House in the Country.
We have had our own Buyers in Europe, and will be kept supplied during the season, with the newest and choicest Fancy Goods in our line of business, which England and France can produce for Pantaloons and Vestings, as also Scarfs, Cravats, Suspenders, Gloves, Handkerchiefs, and other articles adapted to Men's wear.
OUR STOCK CONSISTS OF
French, English, Belgian, German and Domestic Cloths, Cassimeres and Doeskins, of every color, shade, and quality which the best Manufactories can produce, and we guarantee to sell the leading shades, as Bedlin, Simond's, Romean's, and Montgomery's French Woolens, as cheap as their agents in New York.
LUPIN'S DRAP D'ETES, and SILK WARP CASHMERETTES. Tweeds of every kind and description, foreign and domestic Summer Cloths, Cotton Coatings, Coddrington's, Gambroons, Heavy Bombazines and Alpachas, with a number of other choice and desirable Coatings for Spring and Summer Wear.
FANCY CASSIMERES, FANCY LINEN DRILLINGS and VESTINGS. Of these Goods, whether for extent, or beauty, our assortment can not be excelled anywhere. Every steamer now brings us our own Importation of the very latest style. Buyers with us have the great advantage, to get their fancy goods, both foreign and domestic, entirely different from what they can find them any where else, as most goods of the kind are ordered by us from designs of our own.
LINENS AND DRILLINGS.
White Satin Faced Drillings, Duck and Navy Drillings, Brown French " Checked Linens for Coats and Blouses, Brown French Linens, Farmer's Drills, for Servant's wear.
CHILDREN'S WEAR, of all kind, ordered expressly for the purpose.
BILLIARD CLOTHS, two yards wide, of the celebrated County of Iwan Simond.
MILITARY COMPANIES and COLLEGES furnished with Cloths for Uniforms, at Factory Prices, also, with Military and Naval Trimmings, of every description.
TAILORS' TRIMMINGS, of Superior Qualities, viz: Black English Satins, Black and Colored Silk Velvets, Black and Colored Silk Serges, Black Colored Satin Serges, Black Colored Alpacha Serges, Plain Alpachas and Bombazines, Silk Sleeve Linings, Venizios Sewings, Rubinoes Sewings, Black and Colored Twist, Patent Threads, Buttons, all kinds, Worsted and Silk Bindings, &c., &c., &c., Canvass, Paddings, Silesias, Hollands, Wiggins, White Muslins, Colored Muslins, Waddings.
FOR COACHMAKERS. Silver Drab and Blue Cloths, Drab Satins for Curtains and Linings, Worsted Damasks, Brearams and Drab Velvets.
FOR SHOEMAKERS. Cloths and Cassimeres of the Ruling Colors for Gaiters, and Lastings, black and colored, of the best quality.
COTTONADES, KENTUCKY JEANS, DENIMS, and other low priced Coat and Pant Stuffs, at factory prices. Merchant Tailors and Manufacturers of Ready-made Clothing, as well as Country Dealers, will find themselves well paid in examining our stock.
To enable a Merchant always to sell Cheap, his Stock must be of that nature that fashion cannot depreciate it. Otherwise he is compelled to charge more on some Goods to make up for his losses on others. As in our business this difficulty is happily avoided, our Stock always being a sure one, we not only can, but will sell our Goods, either for Cash or to Substantial and Punctual Customers, on time, at rates that shall give full satisfaction.
MARTIN LEWIS & Co.
*No. 233 Baltimore street, Two Doors West of Charles street, opposite Williams, Duncan & Rust's Shoe Store.*
Baltimore, February 1st, 1848. 139-2m o c

RUNAWAY.
A YOUNG NEGRO WOMAN named DOLLY, hired of J. Pickett, esq. Exec. of Hosea Pickett, dec. We will give a reward of $10 for the apprehension and delivery of said slave; and a further reward of $50 for such evidence as will enable us to convict any white man of harboring her. Dolly is believed to be lurking about the plantation of her late master on the Sound, near Federal Point.
THOS. D. MEARES.
G. J. McREE.
Feb. 4. 137.

WHISKEY WHISKEY!!
26 BBLS. N. O. Rectified Whiskey. Just received and for sale by J. & W. L. McGARY.
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PORK
20 BBLS. prime Pork, for sale by
V. MARTIN.
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## GENLS. SCOTT AND WORTH.

The following is the correspondence between Generals SCOTT and WORTH which led to the arrest of the latter and the suspension of the former.

MEXICO, NOVEMBER 13, 1847.

SIR: I learn with much astonishment that the prevailing opinion in this army points the imputation of "scandalous" conduct in the third and the invocation of "the great numbers" in the fourth paragraph of order No. 349, printed and issued yesterday, to myself, as one of the officers alluded to. Although I cannot suppose those opinions to be correctly formed, nevertheless, regarding the high source from which such imputations flow, so seriously affecting the qualities as a gentleman, the character and usefulness as an officer, of him to whom they may be aimed, I feel it incumbent on me to ask, as I now do, most respectfully, of the frankness and justice of the General-in-Chief, whether, in any sense or degree, he condescended to apply or designed to have applied the epithets contained in that order to my self; and, consequently, whether the general military opinion or sentiment in that matter has taken a right or intended direction.

I trust I shall be pardoned for pressing with urgency an early reply to this communication. Very respectfully, &c.

W. J. WORTH, Brevet Major Gen.
Commanding First Division.

Capt. Scott, A. A. Adj. Gen. Headquarters.

HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
*Mexico, November* 14, 1847.

SIR: I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt this morning of your communication, dated the 13th instant, relative to General Orders No. 349, and I am instructed by the General-in-chief to reply "That the General Order No. 349 was, as is pretty clearly expressed on its face, meant to apply to a letter signed Leonidas, in a New Orleans newspaper, and to the summary of two letters given in the Washington Union, and copied into a Tampico paper, to the authors, aiders, and abettors of the letters, be they whom they may."

I am, very respectfully, your most obedient servant,

H. L. SCOTT, A. A. Adj. Gen.
W. J. Worth, Brevet Major Gen. Commanding, &c.

HEADQUARTERS, FIRST DIVISION,
*Mexico, November*, 14, 1847.

SIR: I have had the honor to receive your letter in reply, but not in answer to, to mine of yesterday's date, handed in this morning. The general order is too clearly "expressed on its face" to admit of any doubt of its application in regard to *persons*; the object of my letter, as I endeavored clearly to express, was to seek to know distinctly, and with a view to further measures to protect myself, if, as I supposed, I was one of the persons refered to. Regretting the necessity for intrusion, I am compelled again respectfully to solicit an answer to that question. I ask it as an act of simple justice, which it is hoped will not be denied.

I have the honor to be, very respectfully, your obedient servant,

W. J. WORTH, Bvt. Maj. Gen.
Commanding 1st Division.

Captain H. L. Scott, A. A. Adj. Gen. Headquarters.

HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
*Mexico, November* 14, 1847.

SIR: The General-in-chief desires me to reply to your note of this date, by saying that he cannot be more explicit than in his reply through me, already given. That he has nothing to do with the suspicions of others, and has no positive information himself as to the authorship of the letters alluded to in General Orders No. 349. If he had valid information on the subject he would immediately prosecute the parties before a general court martial.

I have the honor to be, very respectfully, your obedient servant,

H. L. SCOTT, A. A. Adj. Gen.
Bvt. Maj. Gen. W. J. Worth, U. S. A., commanding, &c.

HEADQUARTERS 1ST. DIVISION,
MEXICO, Nov 14, 1847.

SIR: It is due to official courtesy and propriety that I acknowledge your letter (No. 2) in answer to mine of this date; and in doing so, and in closing this correspondence with the headquarters of this army, I beg permission to say, and with regret that I have received no satisfactory answer to the first and rightful inquiries which I have addressed to the General-in-Chief; but, inasmuch as I know myself to be deeply aggrieved and wronged, it only remains to go, by appeal, as I shall do, through the prescribed channels, to the constitutional commander-in-chief. The General-in-Chief is pleased to say, through you, that "he has nothing to do with the suspicions of others, and that he has no positive information himself as to the authorship," &c.—Granted. But has not the manner in which the General-in-Chief has been pleased to treat the case, established, whether designed or not is to be seen, an unequivocal public sentiment upon the subject? There are always enough of that peculiar and pestilential species, who only exist upon the breath of authority, to catch up the whispering of fancy and infest a whole military community. I do not design to be stifled under the miasma of such, nor stricken down, in my advanced age, without an effort to convince my friends that I scorn to wear "honors not earned."

I remain, sir, your ob't. ser't.,
W. J. WORTH, B'vt. Maj. Gen.
Capt. H. L. Scott, A. A. A. G., Headquarters.

HEADQUARTERS 1ST DIVISION OF THE ARMY,
MEXICO, November 16, 1847.

SIR: From the arbitrary and illegal conduct—the malice and gross injustice practised by the general officer commanding in chief this army, Major General Winfield Scott, I appeal, as is my right and privilege, to the constitutional commander-in-chief, the President of the United States.

I accuse Major General Winfield Scott of having acted in a manner unbecoming an officer and a gentleman. He has availed himself of his position to publish, by his authority, to the army which he commands, and of the influence of his station to give the highest effect to an order, bearing date Nov. 12, 1847, and numbered 349, (official printed copy herewith,) calculated and designed to cast odium and disgrace upon Brevet Major General Worth, to bring that general officer into disrepute with the army, and to lessen if not destroy his just influence and proper authority with those officers and soldiers over whom he is placed in command. That he has, without inquiry or investigation, in the said order, (published to the army and to the world,) falsely charged Brevet Major General Worth with having written, or connived at the writing, a certain letter, published in the United States, and to which he has been pleased to apply the epithets of "scandalous, malignant," &c. That he has made these statements to the world, giving to them the sanction of his high authority and the influence of his position, whilst he has acknowledged that he had no information as to the authorship of the letter in question; and, when respectfully and properly addressed upon the subject by the undersigned appellant, he has declined to reply whether or not he intended to impute to Brevet Major General Worth conduct which he has characterized as "scandalous, malignant," &c. Be pleased to refer to correspondence herewith, marked from A to E.

I do not urge present action on these accusations, because of the inconvenience of the service in withdrawing many officers from their duties; but I do humbly and respectfully invoke the President's examination into the case, and such notice thereof and protection from the arbitrary conable.

I have the honor to be, very respectfully, your obedient servant,

W. J. WORTH,
Bt. Maj. General U. S. A.

To the Hon. Sec'ty. of War, Washington.

*Endorsement on the preceding letter, dated November 16, 1847.*

"This paper was prepared on the day of its date, but transmission delayed in the hope, not realized, that mature reflection would suggest an act of justice.

W. J. W."

HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY IN MEXICO,
*November* 25, 1847.

SIR: Your letter to me of the 24th inst., covering a communication from you to the Secretary of War, dated eight days before, professing to be an appeal against General Orders No 349, issued from this office, has been received, and this morning read by the General-in-chief.

For the studied contempt and distespect towards the General-in-chief expressed in that communication to the Secretary of War, under the form of an appeal, I am instructed by the General-in-chief to desire that you will immediately consider yourself in a state of arrest, within the limits of this city; and to add that he shall, by the first opportunity, form a general court martial for your trial on that and probably other matters.

I have the honor to be, very respectfully, your obedient servant,

H. L. SCOTT, A. A. A. Gen.
Bt. Maj. Gen. W. J. Worth, U. S. A.

*Charge and specification preferred against Bt. Maj. Gen. Worth, of the U. S. A.*

CHARGE.—Behaving with contempt and disrespect towards his commanding officer.

SPECIFICATION.—In this, that the said Brevet Maj. Gen. Worth, in a communication dated November 16, 1847, addressed through the Acting Assistant Adjutant General attached to the general headquarters of the American forces in Mexico, to the Secretary of War, under the pretext and form of an appeal to the President of the United States from General Order No. 349, published Nov 12, 1847, in the name and by the command of Maj Gen. Scott, General-in-chief of the said forces at the time, and still the said Worth's commanding officer, the said Worth grossly accuses the said Scott of having been, in the said order, actuated by "malice" against him, the said Worth, as well as "of having acted in a manner unbecoming an officer and a gentleman" towards him, the said Worth, in the matters of the said order. All this at the capital of Mexico, at the date first above written.

WINFIELD SCOTT, Maj Gen., &c.